

ILA Courses 2026 for the International Specialization Program

Registration Code		Course Name	Class	Year	Term	Instructor	R= Required E= Elective	Credits	Ex= Exercise L= Lecture P= Practical training
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●Foundation Courses > Academic and Research Skills									
I205I103	003	Academic Presentations and Debate	③	1-	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	Ex
I205I103	004	Academic Presentations and Debate	④	1-	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	Ex
I205I104	003	Academic Writing	③	1-	Fall	Celeste BEBOSO	E	2	Ex
I205I104	004	Academic Writing	④	1-	Fall	Celeste BEBOSO	E	2	Ex
I205I105		Mathematical Methods for the Social Sciences		1-	Fall	Takehiko NAKAMA	E	2	Ex/L
I205I107		Introduction to Social, Political, and Economic Thought		1-	Fall	Huseyin RASIT	E	2	L
I205I108		Introduction to Philosophy and Ethics		1-	Fall	Federica SGARBI	E	2	L
I205I109		Introduction to Qualitative Research Methods		2-	Fall	Xinzhe HUANG	E	2	L
I205I110		Introduction to Quantitative Research Methods		2-	Fall	Takehiko NAKAMA	E	2	L
●Foundation Courses > Understanding Japan and Kyoto									
I205I116		Geography of Japan		1-	Fall	Taro FUTAMURA	E	2	L
I205I117		Nature and the Environment in Japan		1-	Fall	Hiroaki ISHII	E	2	L
I205I118		Religion in Japan		1-	Fall	Catherine LUDVIK	E	2	L
I205I119	002	Understanding and Experiencing Work in Japan	②	2-	Fall	Naomi KONISHI	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Introductory									
I205I201		What Makes Humans Human?		1-	Fall	Xinzhe HUANG	E	2	L
I205I203		Manga and Anime Studies		1-	Fall	Omar Yusef BAKER	E	2	L
I205I205		Introduction to the Arts		1-	Fall	Haruhisa KAWAMURA	E	2	L
I205I206		Introduction to Media and Communications		1-	Fall	José R.A. ERNULT	E	2	L
I205I208		World Civilizations		1-	Fall	Masumi IZUMI	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Intermediate									
I205I209		Media in Japan		2-	Fall	Urszula FREY	E	2	L
I205I210		Japanese and World Literature		2-	Fall	Shirah Malka COHEN	E	2	L
I205I214		Social Foundations of Language		2-	Fall	Gregory POOLE	E	2	L
I205I216		Modern Japanese History		2-	Fall	David UVA	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Society and Global Culture Concentration > Advanced									
I205I218		Nations and Nationalism		3-	Fall	David UVA	E	2	L
I205I219		Advanced Themes in Anthropology		3-	Fall	Gregory POOLE	E	2	L
I205I224		Migration and Transnationalism		3-	Fall	Aiko KAJI	E	2	L

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●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Introductory									
I 205 I 30 I		Introduction to Contemporary Economics and Business		I -	Fall	Marcelo FUKUSHIMA	E	2	L
I 205 I 302		Introduction to the Japanese Economy		I -	Fall	I-Chun CHEN	E	2	L
I 205 I 304		Microeconomics		I -	Fall	Colin DAVIS	E	2	L
I 205 I 306		Introduction to Business Administration		I -	Fall	Natsuko TOKAJI	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Intermediate									
I 205 I 309		Consumers and the Market in Japan		2 -	Fall	Tadashi YAGI	E	2	L
I 205 I 3 I 0		Ecology and Economy in Japan		2 -	Fall	Tamara LITVINENKO	E	2	L
I 205 I 3 I I		Industry and Labor in Japan		2 -	Fall	Diane HARING	E	2	L
I 205 I 3 I 3		The Financial System in Japan		2 -	Fall	Yukihiro NISHIMURA	E	2	L
I 205 I 3 I 5		Introduction to Marketing		2 -	Fall	Binh NGHIEM-PHU	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Business and the Global Economy Concentration > Advanced									
I 205 I 3 I 7		Economic Growth		3 -	Fall	Colin DAVIS	E	2	L
I 205 I 3 I 9		Corporate Strategy and Organization		3 -	Fall	Natsuko TOKAJI	E	2	L
I 205 I 320		Management Accounting in Japan		3 -	Fall	Gustavo TANAKA	E	2	L
I 205 I 323		Industry and Corporation in Kyoto		3 -	Fall	Hadas KUSHELEVICH	E	2	L
I 205 I 324		Contemporary Issues in Business and Economics		3 -	Fall	Gustavo TANAKA	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Introductory									
I 205 I 403		Introduction to Japanese Law		I -	Fall	Hadas KUSHELEVICH	E	2	L
I 205 I 404		Power and Politics in Japan		I -	Fall	Taro TSUDA	E	2	L
I 205 I 407		Comparative Politics		I -	Fall	Esta Tina OTTMAN	E	2	L
I 205 I 408		Peace and Conflict		I -	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Intermediate									
I 205 I 409		Citizen Politics in Japan and Beyond		2 -	Fall	Robert Tor Erik NORDSTROEM	E	2	L
I 205 I 4 I 3		International Human Rights Law		2 -	Fall	Ho Ching CHEUNG	E	2	L
I 205 I 4 I 4		Political Behavior, Campaigns and Elections		2 -	Fall	Robert Tor Erik NORDSTROEM	E	2	L
I 205 I 4 I 5		Civic Engagement		2 -	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
●Concentration Courses > Japanese Politics and Global Studies Concentration > Advanced									
I 205 I 4 I 8		Mass Media in the Policymaking Process		3 -	Fall	Viriya CHEAMPHAN	E	2	L
I 205 I 420		International Political Economy		3 -	Fall	Fernando Diego PALACIO	E	2	L
I 205 I 42 I		Development and Law		3 -	Fall	Viriya CHEAMPHAN	E	2	L
I 205 I 423		Social Movements and Contentious Politics		3 -	Fall	Garth WARRIES	E	2	L
●Other Elective Courses									
I 205 I 802	094	Special Lecture Series (Zen and Japanese Culture)	94	I -	Fall	Federica SGARBI	E	2	L
I 205 I 802	096	Special Lecture Series (Portfolio Theory and Management)	96	I -	Fall	Yukihiro NISHIMURA	E	2	L